AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY MARCH 28, 1996

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—1995-96 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 2735

Introduced by Assembly Member Weggeland

February 22, 1996

An act relating to parks and recreation, and making an appropriation therefor.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2735, as amended, Weggeland. State park system: Citrus Heritage State Park.

Existing law, the California Wildlife, Coastal, and Park Land Conservation Act, authorizes the expenditure of \$10,000,000, as a grant to a local agency, for the acquisition of land in and near the California Citrus State Historic Park located in the Arlington Heights area of the City of Riverside.

This bill would instead authorize the city to encumber those moneys for the development of the park, thereby making an appropriation by authorizing those funds to be expended for a new purpose.

The bill would declare that this authorization is an amendment of the act within the meaning of Section 6 of the act and is consistent with the act.

Under existing law, funds in the Public Resources Account in the Cigarette and Tobacco Products Surtax Fund may be appropriated for park and recreation purposes.

This bill would express the Legislature's intent that the sum of \$500,000 be appropriated from the account to the

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Department of Parks and Recreation for a grant to the City of Riverside for improvements at, or adjacent to, Citrus Heritage State Park, consistent with the state plan for development of the state park.

Vote: $\frac{2}{3}$. Appropriation: $\frac{1}{3}$. Fiscal committee: -no yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature that the

2 SECTION 1. (a) For the development of land and other improvements within the California Citrus State Historic Park, the City of Riverside may encumber money granted to the city pursuant to clause (ii) of 5 subparagraph (D) of paragraph (3) of subdivision (b) of Section 5907 of the Public Resources Code.

(b) The amount of the funds to be encumbered for purposes of subdivision (a), together with any conditions 10 imposed upon the expenditure of the funds, including, 11 but not limited to, the amount of any matching funds to be provided by other public agencies and private entities, 12 shall be determined by resolution of the City Council of the City of Riverside.

15 SEC. 2. Section 1 of this act is an amendment to the 16 California Wildlife, Coastal, and Park Land Conservation Act (Division 5.8 (commencing with Section 5900) of the 17 18 Public Resources Code) within the meaning of Section 6 19 of that act, and is consistent with the purposes of that act. 20 sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) be

appropriated from the Public Resources Account in the 22 Tobacco Products Surtax Fund to the Department of

23 Parks and Recreation for a grant to the City of Riverside

24 for public improvements within, or adjacent to, Citrus

25 Heritage State Park. It is further the intent of the

26 Legislature that those funds be expended in a manner

consistent with the state plan for the development of

28 Citrus Heritage State Park.